

## WEEK'S NEWS.

### Local and Personal Happenings.

For second hand furniture—see Clyde Wells. 1t.

Go to Edw. C. Hale, Jr., for furniture repairs.

You need not pay so much for insurance. Talk to M. E. Smead.

Some desirable rooms to rent. Inquire of Mrs. Frank Adkins. 2t.

House for sale or rent with one acre ground. Inquire 1st National Bank. 1t.

The neatest thing in the refrigerator line is the "White Frost." Sold by the Case Furniture Company.

Highest cash prices paid for hides, pelts and furs. Morrow Warehouse Milling Co.

I have for sale a first class hack—practically good as new. Will sell at a bargain. 2t

MARTIN JOHNSON.

### Chicken Dinner

### Palace Sunday

The man who has his clothes made by Friedrich the Tailor gets the best to be had at the price in Fabric Fit and Finish.

Charley Bartholomew was in town on Saturday and reports everything looking prosperous at the mouth of Little Butter creek.

J. E. Waid was in from the Alpine section on Friday making arrangements to prove up on the homestead of his deceased son.

Clive Huston was in Heppner on Saturday looking after business interests and turning over some coyote scalps to the county clerk.

Anent the question of the hospital it will be of interest to learn that the Rt. Rev. J. C. O'Reilly has already gone to Philadelphia to raise funds for the various interests in the diocese of Baker City.

Easter Sunday was appropriately observed at the various Heppner churches by suitable exercises by the children of the Sunday schools, and an appropriate display of new and elegant millinery as well.

Mrs. Z. S. Burch departed on Tuesday for Wolf Creek, Josephine county, where she will visit for a time with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Stewart who resides in that vicinity. Mr. Burch may follow his wife and children a little later on.

Excellent weather still prevails for the lambing season and Morrow county flockmasters are reporting increases of 100 per cent and better. Twin lambs are very numerous this year and markings will no doubt be far above the average.

W. G. Scott passed through town on Saturday evening on his return from a visit of several days to the John Day country in the vicinity of Monument. He is convinced that we have much the best of that section when it comes to producing feed and caring for stock.

Bounteous showers again this week are causing the gardens to grow and the grain crops to fairly jump. The old Heppner hills are beginning to look mighty good in their splendid coat of green. It has been a good many years since we had better feed and a more hopeful outlook for crops.

In adjusting a belt to a pulley at the flouring mill on Tuesday morning, Lee Slocum got the front end of the right hand thumb pinched sufficiently to remove the greater portion of it to the first joint. The member was properly dressed by a physician and Mr. Slocum will try to avoid such luck in the future.

On Saturday, at the lone grounds, Heppner High and Lone High will cross bats again in the second ball game of the season. This promises to be a better game than the one played at Heppner, as both teams will be in better trim. Quite a number of the school children, as well as other citizens of Heppner are planning to attend the game, and also to take in the entertainment that is being prepared for the evening under the direction of Prof. Kaufman.

Harrison Chapin was down from Hardman on Saturday. He brought in quite a bunch of coyote pelts, the result of a few months of trapping. Mr. Chapin is an enthusiast over base ball, and as the season is now opening up he is beginning to feel that he is a boy again and ready to go into the game with his old-time vigor. He is not of course, able to come back as an actual player of the game but he can keep up with the doings of the various teams, and this he does in an enthusiastic manner.

Vitre Gilbert, a resident of Heppner and vicinity for a long number of years, but who has resided for the past six and a half years in Southern California, near a place called Academy, in Fresno county, returned to Heppner on Monday evening and will spend the summer here, and may perhaps remain longer if his health permits. He was in poor health at the time of leaving Heppner but has residence in California has proven very beneficial. Mr. Gilbert left Heppner at the time of the Lewis & Clark fair in Portland and suddenly dropped out of sight and was not heard of for several years by his neighbors in Heppner, and it was feared by them that he had met with foul play, and they were at a great loss to account for his disappearance. It transpired, however, that he was in communication with certain friends at this place and his whereabouts made known, settling all alarm as to what had become of him. Barring a very severe spell of sickness, Mr. Gilbert has greatly enjoyed his sojourn in the land of oranges and raisins.

A visit to the Blackhorse section on Friday afternoon convinced the editor of this paper that there is something doing out that way, and that the farmers there will certainly be rewarded for their good work. Grain is doing fine and the farmers are all busy working their fields and doing what spring sowing they have on hand. We hope to be able a little later on to make a visit to each different section of the county and get a comprehensive idea of what the crop outlook is from personal observation. Nothing but good reports are coming in at this time and as the season advances the prospects are coming in at this time and as the season advances the prospects are improving.

Mrs. Martha Rath, wife of J. P. Rath, a business man of Portland, died at her residence in that city on Wednesday, April 3, at the age of 36 years. Mrs. Rath was formerly Miss Martha Neville, and was a native of this city where she resided until about the time of her marriage in February, 1899. She is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Eliza Neville; two sisters, Mrs. J. Mosley and Mrs. M. A. Neville, of Portland, a niece, Catherine Neville, of Portland, and two brothers, John N. Neville, of Portland, and Daniel Neville, of Spencer, Idaho. Mrs. Rath had a large number of friends in Heppner who are grieved at the news of her death.

John Edwards, of Sand Hollow, was in Heppner on Saturday, smoking as good cigars as he could get hold of. He was celebrating his 55th birthday, and feeling as young as a boy in his teens. Just 60 years ago John left St. Joe, Missouri, in the company of his parents to come to Oregon, and landed in the Willamette Valley six months later, and besides being an early pioneer of Oregon, he is also a pioneer farmer and ranchman of this county where he has established himself on one of our best farms. Here's hoping you may enjoy many returns of your anniversary along with abundant prosperity.

The ladies of the Library Association are preparing to give a tea, accompanied by a musical program on the evening of the 19th—primary election day. Concerning this, fuller announcement will be made later, when all arrangements have been completed. As the proceeds will be for the benefit of the library, the efforts of the ladies should receive encouragement in the shape of a large patronage to any of these functions that they are promoting, and they no doubt will.

Mrs. Eva Craven Wheeler delivered a lecture and eloquent recital at the M. E. church on Tuesday evening to a fair sized audience. The lecture was on the young peoples' extension work of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Wheeler showed that she was well informed on her subject. Her recital also demonstrated her ability as an elocutionist. The entertainment was free, and a substantial collection for the work she represents was taken at the close.

The Rev. Thos. J. Brady who was here last October with the Chapel Car and whose ability as an orator is well known in Heppner, will say the mass at 10:30 a. m., and preach at the mass and again at 3 p. m., at the Catholic church on Sunday next, the 14th inst. The subject of his sermon will be "The Triumph of Christ." Father O'Rourke will visit his former parish at Condon on that day.

At the close of registration on Tuesday evening the record stands as follows: Republicans, 566; democrats, 173; socialists, 46; prohibitionists, 7; independents, 14; those refusing to answer or giving no party, 9, making a total of 815. This is much better than the registration before the primaries two years ago.

Mrs. F. P. Vaughn returned home on Thursday last from a visit of several months with her parents at Centralia, Wash. She will spend the summer in Heppner.

A. W. Goodman arrived last week to take a position as store clerk with the Fossil Mercantile Company. He worked for seven years with the Minor Company of Heppner, and has a thorough knowledge of the business.—Fossil Journal.

Mr. Edgar B. Ayers and Miss Bettina Taylor were married on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson, Judge C. O. Patterson, officiating. The young people will be at home to their friends in the New Jones property where they will reside. We extend to them our hearty congratulations.

According to advices from Baker, John Irvine, the slaver of Allen McCraw was indicted by the grand jury of the crime of murder in the first degree. He is to be tried at this term of the circuit court of Baker county. So far as we have been able to learn, the facts of the murder as given in our last issue were substantially correct.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ames, of Ellensburg, Wash., who visited for the past week at the home of their niece, Mrs. B. R. Patterson, in Heppner, departed on Sunday for their home. They were taken in the auto by Mr. and Mrs. Patterson to Pendleton, the latter returning home Monday forenoon. The trip from Pendleton to Heppner was made in just 4 hours. The roads were splendid and the trip was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Joseph Jacobberger, architect of the firm of Jacobberger & Smith, of Portland, was in this city over Sunday. The purpose of his visit was to confer with the building committee of the Sisters' hospital and look over the proposed site. Mr. Jacobberger was much pleased with the grounds and pronounced them well adapted for a hospital. On Sunday afternoon, in company with Father O'Rourke and Wm. Barratt, the architect inspected the sand and rock of the neighborhood and procured some samples for testing purposes. He promised that in a very short time sketches of the work will be sent to the building committee.

### Church Announcements.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.  
Sunday School 10 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject morning: "The Sabbath, Jewish and Christian." Evening: "The Living Christ."

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### Lost.

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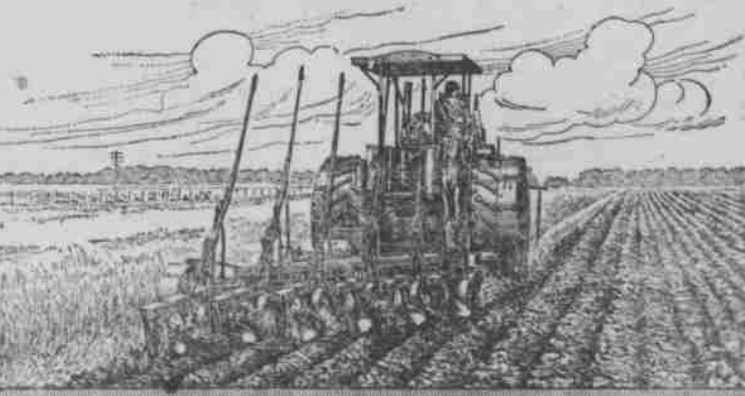
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